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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

## 2 FULL NAME

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

4 COLOR OR RACE

5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

7 AGE

IF LESS than  
1 day.....hrs.  
1 yrs. 3 mos. 23 ds. or min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or  
particular kind of work(b) General nature of industry  
business, or establishment in  
which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

10 NAME OF  
FATHER

11 BIRTHPLACE

OF FATHER  
(State or country)12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER

13 BIRTHPLACE

OF MOTHER  
(State or Country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address)

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1921

Miss W. J. Pratt  
RegistrarSTATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 213

St.: Ward)

(If death occurred in  
a hospital or institution,  
give its NAME in-  
stead of street and  
number.)

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

17

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from  
Aug 27 1921 to Sept 2, 1921,  
that I last saw him alive on Sept 2, 1921,  
and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 2 A. m.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:  
acute lobar pneumonia.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Signed)

Sept 2 1921

(Address) Rockville, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from  
Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether  
Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

16 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Trans-  
ients or Recent Residents)At place  
of death.....yrs.....mos.....ds.In the  
State.....yrs.....mos.....ds.Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?Former or  
usual residence.....

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County MontgomeryVillage or City Rockville

(No. \_\_\_\_\_)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 2-3

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME John H. Baker

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX <u>M</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>Colored</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) <u>Married</u>
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6 DATE OF BIRTH

7 13 1  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

59 yrs. 7 mos. 12 ds. or min. ?If LESS than  
1 day.....hrs.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Laborer

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER

Adam Baker

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Mary Baker

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) \_\_\_\_\_

(Address) \_\_\_\_\_

15

Filed 9-7 1923 Miss W. J. Pratt  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Sept. 3, 1923  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

did not attend deceased  
was called for first time found  
that I last saw him alive on pt. at 4:15 p.m. 1923and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 4:15 p.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Cerebral Hemorrhage(Duration) Instantaneous  
yrs. mos. ds.Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) Dwight M. Bullard M.D.Sept. 4, 1923 (Address) Rockville Md

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State, yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Rockville Md Sept 7, 1923

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Les H. Brown Rockville

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## PLACE OF DEATH

County

Montgomery

Village or City

Takoma Park. 212 Willow Ave.

FULL NAME

Susan C. Barbee.

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No.

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) ~~Married~~

6 DATE OF BIRTH Dec. 5, 1897 (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 84 yrs. 9 mos. 24 ds. or LESS than 1 day hrs. min.

## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

Housewife

## 9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Marshall, Va.

## 10 NAME OF FATHER

John Holmes.

## 11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Va.

## 12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Katharine Strauther.

## 13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or Country)

Va.

## 14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

William J. Barbee.

(Address)

2000 - 116th St. N.W.

## 15

Filed

Sept 29 1931 H. E. Rogers

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 16 DATE OF DEATH

Sept. 29, 1931

(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Sept 1, 1925 to Sept 29, 1931

that I last saw him alive on Sept 27, 1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9:00 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Coronary Arteriosclerosis  
myocardial InfarctionContributory  
Secondary

(Duration) 6 yrs. 10 mos. 24 ds.

(Duration) 12 yrs. 10 mos. 24 ds.

(Signed)

Sept 29, 1931

(Address) 35 My. Dr. N.W.

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## 18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds.

In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

## 19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Washington D. C.

## DATE OF BURIAL

Oct 1 - 1931

## 20 UNDERTAKER

J. H. Hines Co

## ADDRESS

2901-14th St. N.W.



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OCT 6 1931  
BUREAU V. S.

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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

*Montgomery*Village or City *in Damascus* (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

Registration Dist. No. *211*

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME

*Mrs. Julia P. Bellison*

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

*F*

4 COLOR OR RACE

*White*

5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

*Widowed*

6 DATE OF BIRTH

\_\_\_\_\_, *1* \_\_\_\_\_, \_\_\_\_\_  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

*about 81* yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.?

If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

*Housework*

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

*Maryland*

10 NAME OF FATHER

*John Watkins*

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

*Maryland*

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

*Rebecca Watkins*

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or Country)

*Maryland*

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

*Mr. Jack Cane*

(Address)

*Monrovia Md*

15 Filed

*Sept 2 1931* *Della K. Beall*  
*Dift* Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

*September 1*, 19*31*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

*Aug 12*, 19*31*, to *Sept 1*, 19*31*,  
that I last saw her alive on *Sept 1*, 19*31*,and that death occurred on the date stated above, at *9:30* p. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

*Chronic endocarditis*

Contributory Secondary

(Duration) *several* yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.*Chronic Nephritis*(Duration) *some* yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.(Signed) *George M. Boyer* M. D.*Sept 2*, 19*31* (Address) *Damascus, Md*

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At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

*Montgomery Chapel* *Sept. 3, 1931*

20 UNDERTAKER

*H. M. Snyder Mt. Airy*

ADDRESS

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10883

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

No.

Registration Dist. No.

St.

Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

## 7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

## OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

## 13. NAME

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

## 15. MAIDEN NAME

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)17. INFORMANT  
(Address)

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

19. UNDERTAKER  
(Address)

## 20. FILED

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

(Month)

(Day)

1931 (Year)

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Sept. 7, 1931, to Sept. 7, 1931  
I last saw him on Sept. 7, 1931; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, about 2 P.M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:

Date of onset

Fractured skull -  
Struck by truck -  
Accident -

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

None

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy? No

## 23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? Accident Date of Injury Sept 7, 1931

Where did injury occur? Near Bethesda, Md.

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

## 24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

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## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10894

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County MontgomeryVillage or City LindenRegistration Dist. No. 214No. 53 St. Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 50 yrs. 7 mos. ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? Yrs. mos. ds.2. FULL NAME Mrs. Edna Birgfeld(a) Residence: No. Linden - Silver Spring St. Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Female 4. COLOR OR RACE White 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) Widowed5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND or (or) WIFE of Mr. Edmund W. Birgfeld6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) May 16, 18577. AGE Years 74 Months 3 Days 24 If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. House wife9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. Home10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) X 11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation X12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Lay hill (State or country) Maryland13. NAME Abraham Van Horn14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Bucks Co., Penna. (State or country)15. MAIDEN NAME Mary Elizabeth Samuell16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Bucks Co., Penna (State or country)17. INFORMANT Family (Address)18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Place Woodside Md Date Sept 12 193119. UNDERTAKER Wm. Rubin Amfory (Address) Colonial Funeral Home Rockville Md20. FILED Sept 11 1931 J. E. Dudley Jr Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

September (Month) 9 (Day) 1931 (Year)

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Sept 3 1931 to Sept 9 1931I last saw her Sept 8 1931; death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, at 4:40 A. M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Carcinoma of thyroid gland Date of onset unknown

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation Exploratory Date of Aug 21, 1931What last confirmed diagnosis? Micronodular Nodular Was there an autopsy? no

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicida? no Date of Injury no 19noWhere did Injury occur? no

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury noNature of injury no24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? noIf so, specify no(Signed) M. D.(Address) Silver Spring Md

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

V. S. No. 1

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# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Montgomery

Village or City

Waverly Sanatorium, near Rockville, Md.

2 FULL NAME

Lucy BufordSTATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 213

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Female

4 COLOR OR RACE

White5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH

June 22, 1849  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

82 yrs. 2 mos. 20 ds.  
If LESS than 1 day... hrs. or min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

None

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Kent.

10 NAME OF FATHER

Charles Buford

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Kent.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Lucy Dube

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or Country)

Kent.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Hospital Records

(Address)

Near Rockville Md

15 Filed

9/11

1931

Mrs. W. J. Pratt

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

September 11, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from July 2, 1931 to Sept. 11, 1931, that I last saw her alive on Sept. 11, 1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 12:30 P.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Small arteriosclerosisContributory  
Secondary(Duration) 5 yrs. 5 mos. 5 ds.Terminal broncho-pneumonia(Duration) 3 yrs. 3 mos. 3 ds.

(Signed)

Wm. A. Henthorn M. D.Sept. 11, 1931 (Address) Rockville, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 2 yrs. 16 mos. 16 ds.In the State 2 yrs. 16 mos. 16 ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

D.C.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Glennwood Cent., Wash. D.C. 9/12, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Wm. Reuben Pumpkin Rockville Md.



# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Montgomery

Village or City Bethesda No. \_\_\_\_\_

2 FULL NAME Lydia Butler

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 213

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE Black 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Widow

6 DATE OF BIRTH 1876 (Month) \_\_\_\_\_ (Day) \_\_\_\_\_ (Year) \_\_\_\_\_

7 AGE 55 yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. or \_\_\_\_\_ min. 7 LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housekeeper (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) md

10 NAME OF FATHER John Timbers

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Elmura Offutt

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Louis Barclay

(Address) Rockville md

15 Filed 9-20-1931 Mrs. W. L. Pratt Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept 16-1931 (Month) \_\_\_\_\_ (Day) \_\_\_\_\_ (Year) \_\_\_\_\_

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Sept 1st 1931 to Sept 16, 1931, that I last saw her alive on Sept 16, 1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 11:30 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows: Bronchiopneumonia

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory chronic myocarditis Secondary

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. (Signed) W. L. Pratt M. D.

Sept 18 1931 (Address) Bethesda Md \*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Spotland md DATE OF BURIAL 9-20 1931

20 UNDERTAKER Geo R Snowden ADDRESS Rockville

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Oct 6 1931

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Montgomery

Village or City Takoma Park No. 708 Erie

2 FULL NAME Martha Elizabeth Carlton

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 223

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Widow

6 DATE OF BIRTH December 5, 1860  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 70 yrs. 9 mos. 15 ds. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.?  
[If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.]

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work none  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Va.

10 NAME OF FATHER William H. Carlton

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Va.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER unknown

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Va.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Joseph B. Carlton

(Address) 708 Erie Ave

15 Filed Sept 10 1931 H. E. Berger Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH September 10, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Sept 22, 1930 to Sept 29, 1930 that I last saw her alive on Sept 9, 1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Chronic valvular heart disease with hypertension  
(Duration) 2 yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory Secondary \_\_\_\_\_

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.  
(Signed) Lymwood Berger M. D.  
Sept 10, 1931 (Address) 410 Cedar St.

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At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Atlee Va DATE OF BURIAL Sept 12, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER W. W. Chambers & Co ADDRESS 1405 Chapin Washington

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma, Sarcoma*, etc., of . . . . . (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds., *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Droopy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL *septicæmia*," "PUERPERAL *peritonitis*," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbonic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10898

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Montgomery

Village or City

Seltman

No.

Registration Dist. No.

212

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Mary Virginia Carter

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Female

4. COLOR OR RACE

White

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

Married

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

Joseph E Carter

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Nov. 3, 1870

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

1 day, hrs.  
or min.

60

10

15

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

Housewife

9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

Virginia

FATHER

13. NAME

Geo. W. Carter

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

Va.

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Elizabeth Utterbach

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

Va.

17. INFORMANT  
(Address)Thos. Carter  
Seltman, Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Bealls Blk

Date

Sept. 20, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER  
(Address)H. D. Hillon & Sons  
Barnville, Md.

20. FILED

Sept. 18, 1931 Mrs. C. C. Hillon

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

9

(Month)

18

(Day)

1931

(Year)

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Aug. 14

1931

to Sept

19

I last saw him

alive on

19

; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 5:50 A.M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:Phlebotomy - femoral  
and iliac vein right  
leg. Myocarditis  
Arthritis

Date of onset

9/21/31

8/12/31

1925

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation

none

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of Injury

19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No

If so, specify

(Signed)

Horton Shoup

M. D.

(Address)

Barnville, Md.

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

V. S. No. 1

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# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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To be complete, an occupation return must state:

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- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

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## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Moulg.

Village or City Gaithersburg (No. 92)

2 FULL NAME Maria Claggett

### PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE Black 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED widow  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH 1856, 1 (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 75 yrs. mos. ds. or min. If LESS than 1 day hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housekeeper  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Ind

10 NAME OF FATHER Unknown

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Unknown

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Unknown

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Unknown

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Dora Claggett

(Address) Rockville Ind

15 Filed 9/9 1931 Mrs. W. J. Prall Registrar

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## STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 213

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

### MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept. 7, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the Deceased from 1 June 1931 to 7 Sept 1931, that I last saw him alive on 4 Aug 1931,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 230 P. m.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Gangrene of foot

(Duration) 6 yrs. — mos. — ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) — yrs. — mos. — ds.

(Signed) Stanley W. Barber M. D.  
9 Sept 1931 (Address) Gaithersburg Ind

State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transfers or Recent Residents)

At place of death 75 yrs. — mos. — ds. In the Same State — yrs. — mos. — ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? Same

Former or usual residence Same

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Ind DATE OF BURIAL 10 Sept 1931  
Swine Orchard

20 UNDERTAKER Mrs. R. Snowden ADDRESS Rockville Ind

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10890

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

Registration Dist. No.

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

## 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

## 7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation

## 12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

FATHER

## 13. NAME

## 14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

MOTHER

## 15. MAIDEN NAME

## 16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

## 17. INFORMANT

(Address)

## 18. BURIAL—CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

## 19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

## 20. FILED

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

September

23

1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

## 22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

19

to

19

I last saw him \_\_\_\_\_ alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 2:45 P.M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:Airplane Crash  
Fracture of base of skullDate of onset  
9/23/31  
9/23/31

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Shock  
Multiple fractures of both  
thighs and legs9/23/31  
9/23/31

Name of operation

None

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

## 23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? Accident Date of injury 9/23, 1931

Where did injury occur? Dickerson, Montgomery Co., Md.

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE

Airplane crashed on privately owned land.

Manner of injury Airplane crash

Nature of injury Fracture of base of skull.

## 24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify Deceased was army aviator

(Signed) Louis M. Field M. D.

(Address)



# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923
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## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

See letter under "Field" for authorization to change place of burial. 9/15/31  
SUN

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Montgomery

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No.

213

Village or City

Perryman

(No.)

St.

Ward)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME

Ruby S. Coats

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Female

4 COLOR OR RACE

Col.

5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

8 -

6 DATE OF BIRTH

Apr 5, 1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

7 AGE

yrs. 5 mos. 11 ds. or min.?

If LESS than 1 day... hrs.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

None

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Md.

10 NAME OF FATHER

Clarence Coats

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Md.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Pruth Coats Brown

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or Country)

Md.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Clarence Coats

(Address)

Perryman

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Filed Sep 22/31

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Upham I. Lawrence M.D. Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Sept 27, 1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

17

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

Sept 21, 1931, to Sept 21, 1931

that I last saw him alive on Sept 21, 1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 8:45 p.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

acute colitis

(Duration) - yrs. - mos. - ds.

Contributory Secondary

(Duration) - yrs. - mos. - ds.

(Signed)

Stanley W. Barber M. D.

Sykes

(Address) Gaithersburg, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death - yrs. - mos. - ds.

In the State - yrs. - mos. - ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Brownstown

DATE OF BURIAL

Sept 23, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

E. O. Scharf

ADDRESS

Gaithersburg

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unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma, Sarcoma*, etc., of . . . . . (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles (disease causing death), 29 ds.; Bronchopneumonia (secondary), 10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL, septicæmia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10892

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

 County Montgomery  
 Village or City N. Travilah
Registration Dist. No. 213
 No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. \_\_\_\_\_

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Male</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>Single</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of _____		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>March 1931</u>		
7. AGE Years <u>0</u>	Months <u>7</u>	Days <u>7</u>
		If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. <u>None</u>		
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.		
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country) Va.13. NAME Emile David14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country) Unknown15. MAIDEN NAME Eva McCoy16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country) Unknown17. INFORMANT  
(Address) W. G. McCoy - Grandfather  
N. Travilah Md

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place James L. Howard Date Sept 23, 193119. UNDERTAKER  
(Address) Wm. Paulsen Pumphrey  
Rockville Md20. FILED Sept 23, 1931 Mrs. H. T. Criss  
Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

September 21, 1931  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

22. HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

I last saw him alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 8:15 A. m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Enteritis.  
Child came from Va 4 day  
before death - never had  
medical attention.

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Bottle fed - neglected.

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? none Was there an autopsy? no

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_

(Specify city or town, county and State)  
Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? no

If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed) H. J. Paul(Address) Rockville, Md

M. D.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

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In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

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## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Montgomery  
 Village or City Near Graham Snd

Registration Dist. No. 218  
 No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. Sanctusburg - Md - Rtd.  
 (Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Female</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>Colored</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>Single</u>
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of _____		
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) <u>June-10-1892</u>		
7. AGE <u>39</u>	Years <u>3</u>	Months <u>17</u>
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. <u>None</u>		9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. <u>None</u>
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) <u>July 1931</u>		11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation <u>Life</u>

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Md</u>
13. NAME <u>Childrey Demar</u>
14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Md</u>
15. MAIDEN NAME <u>Sarah Borne</u>
16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) (State or country) <u>Md</u>
17. INFORMANT (Address) <u>John Demar</u> <u>Sanctusburg - Md - Rtd.</u>
18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Place <u>Brown Bros</u> Date <u>9/25/31</u>
19. UNDERTAKER (Address) <u>Roy Barber</u> <u>Sanctusburg - Md - Rtd.</u>
20. FILED <u>Sept 25 1931</u> <u>W. H. Oyeon</u> Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Sept-27- 1931  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from

June 15 - 1931 to Sept-27 - 1931

I last saw her alive on Sept-27/1931; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 9 p.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of Importance were as follows:

Cardiac insufficiency with dilatation and edema

Other Contributory Causes of Importance

Edema (Pulmonary)

Name of operation None Date of 7/31

What test confirmed diagnosis? Physical exam Was there an autopsy? No

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? No Date of Injury 7/31, 19

Where did injury occur? No

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury No

Nature of injury No

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No

If so, specify

(Signed) Chas. L. Swind M.D.  
 (Address) Sanctusburg - Md - Rtd.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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*Arteriosclerosis*

*Chronic interstitial nephritis*

*Cerebral hemorrhage*

Date of onset

*1915*

*1921*

*July 5, 1927*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gallstones*

*May 1, 1923*

**Example II**

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Attack of epilepsy*

*Run over by street car*

*Peritonitis*

Date of onset

*1 week ago*

*1 week ago*

*3 days ago*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gastroenteritis*

*1 year*

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Montgomery

Village or City Olney (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

2 FULL NAME Willes Dennis

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# STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 213

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX M 4 COLOR OR RACE Col 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH Feb. 4, 1900 (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 31 yrs. 7 mos. 7 ds. or min. If LESS than 1 day hrs.

8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work farm laborer (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER Charles Dennis

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Laura Mackall

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Richard White (Address) Rockville Md

15 Filed 9-22 1931 W. S. Pratt Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH 9-19-1931 (Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 8/20/1931 to 9/19/1931 that I last saw him alive on 9/19/1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 7 am. The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Sanguinous appendicitis

Contributory Secondary Broncho-Pneumonia (Duration) yrs. mos. 30 ds.

(Signed) J. M. D. 9/20/1931 (Address) Sandy Spring Md

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. 30 ds. In the State yrs. mos. 30 ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? Rockville Md.

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Norbeck Md DATE OF BURIAL 9-22-1931

20 UNDERTAKER Geo R. Brunden Rockville Md

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Montg Co

Village or City Germanstown (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

2 FULL NAME Audrey Adeline Dimes

10895  
STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 213

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE Col. 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Single  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Feb II, 1926  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 5 yrs. 7 mos. 9 ds. or min.?  
If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work None  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER Clem Dimes

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mamie Beckwith

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Clem Dimes  
(Address) Germanstown Md

15 Filed Sep 22/31 1927 Wm D. House Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept 20th, 1923  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Sept 20 1927 to \_\_\_\_\_, 192\_\_\_\_,

that I last saw her alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 192\_\_\_\_,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 4 30 PM m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Fractured skull  
and suddenly  
Automobile accident, C. W. R.  
Contributory Secondary

(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) S. W. Barber M. D.

Sep 22 1927 (Address) Southbury Md

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? On road, near Germanstown

Former or usual residence Maryland

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Boys DATE OF BURIAL Sept 23, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER E. C. Barber ADDRESS Southbury Md



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MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Montgomery

Village or City Takoma Park (No. Washington Sanitation & Health Ward)

2 FULL NAME Mr. Vincent Donnelly

10896  
(93-C)  
STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 223

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH Sept 16, 1876  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 55 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds. or min.? If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Painter  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Washington D.C.

10 NAME OF FATHER John Donnelly

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Ireland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Johanna Busnahan

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Ireland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Washington Sanitation Records

(Address) Takoma Park Md.

15 Filed Sept 16 1921 H. E. Rogers Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH 9/16, 1921  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended the deceased from 7/25/21 to 9/16/21

that I last saw him alive on 9/16/21

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 10 A. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Ch. Deg. Myocarditis  
Non Valvular

(Duration) 15 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.

Contributory Severe Gen. Arteriosclerosis  
Secondary and Hypertension

(Duration) 15 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.

(Signed) Howard L. Morse M. D.

9/16/21 (Address) Washington Sanitation Records

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 1 yrs. 1 mos. 16 ds. In the State 1 yrs. 1 mos. 16 ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? Home

Former or usual residence Washington D.C.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL St. Olaf Cemetery

DATE OF BURIAL Sept 18, 1921

20 UNDERTAKER W. Warren Taltavull

ADDRESS 3619 14th St. N.W.

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
Health Association.)

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# STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10897

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Montgomery Registration Dist. No. 217  
 Village or City Olney No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)  
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. Olney St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Usual place of abode)  
 If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX M. 4. COLOR OR RACE Col 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) Single

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
 HUSBAND of  
 (or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) Oct 16 1909

7. AGE Years 22 Months 11 Days 4 If LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. Jam. Coburn

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) Unknown 11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation Unknown

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) N. J.  
 (State or country)

13. NAME Mr. J. Gaines

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) N. J.  
 (State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME Margaret Brown

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) N. J.  
 (State or country)

17. INFORMANT Margaret Gaines  
 (Address) Olney, Md

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL  
 Place Sandy Springs Date Sept 23 1931

19. UNOERTAKER Roy M. Barber  
 (Address) Chickering

20. FILED 9/22 1931 C. Bamstep  
 Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH Sept 20 1931  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Dead 19 \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

I last saw him at home \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows: Hæmorrhage.

stab wound of chest Date of onset 9/20

severed carotid artery 9/20

Punctured lung

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

None.

Name of operation None Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? Autopsy Was there an autopsy? Yes

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? Homicide Date of injury Sept 20 1931

Where did injury occur? Near Olney, Md  
 (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

In home

Manner of injury Assault

Nature of injury stab wound of chest

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No

If so, specify N. J. Pratt M. D.

(Signed) Rockville (Address) Alfred

If more blanks are needed, address State Registrar, 2411 N. Charles Street, Baltimore, Requesting U. S. No. 1.

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U. S. No. 1

her issued

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## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN



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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10898

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

No.

Registration Dist. No.

212

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

male

4. COLOR OR RACE

white

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)

married

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

Florence Maud Gibson Jan

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

May 6 - 1861

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

1 day, ..... hrs.  
or ..... min.

70

4

7

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

weigh master

9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.of counting  
factory10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Maryland

FATHER

13. NAME

John H. Gibson

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Maryland

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Mary T. Murphy

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Maryland

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Clarke Gibson  
Adamsstown Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Beallsville

Date

9/16, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Mrs. T. Hilton & Sons  
Barnesville Md.

20. FILED

9/14

1931

Mrs. C. C. Hilton  
E. White Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

Sept.

(Month)

13

(Day)

1931

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from

1927 to

Sept 13

1931

Last saw him alive on

Sept 8

1931; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 10:30 p.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:arterio sclerosis  
and rheumatoid  
arthritis  
myocardial insufficiencyDate of onset  
June 1927

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury

19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

E. White  
Beallsville

M. D.

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	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
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Other contributory causes of importance:

Gallstones	May 1, 1923
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10899

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County MontgomeryVillage or City Washington Town

No.

Registration Dist. No. 218

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. Washington Town

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX <u>Female</u>	4. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) <u>Single</u>
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5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) Aug. 11, 1917

7. AGE	Years	Months	Days	If LESS than 1 day, _____ hrs. or _____ min.
	<u>14</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>22</u>	

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
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work was done, as SILK MILL,  
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(State or country)

13. NAME

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(State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)17. INFORMANT  
(Address)

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

19. UNOBTAINED  
(Address)

20. FILED

Date

Year

Month

Day

Year

Month

Day

Year

Month

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## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Sept  
(Month)2  
(Day)1931  
(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from

Aug 23, 1931 to Sept 2, 1931I last saw him alive on Sept 2, 1931; death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, at 10:30 P.M.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:Typhoid fever

Date of onset

8-23-31

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_ (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether Injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed)

(Address)

M. D.

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In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Arteriosclerosis*

*Chronic interstitial nephritis*

*Cerebral hemorrhage*

Date of onset

*1915*

*1921*

*July 5, 1927*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gallstones*

*May 1, 1923*

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Attack of epilepsy*

*Run over by street car*

*Peritonitis*

Date of onset

*1 week ago*

*1 week ago*

*3 days ago*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gastroenteritis*

*1 year*

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK--THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Montg. Co.

10900

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 214

Village or City

Poolesville, Md.

St. Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME

Thomas Hoskinson.

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

M

4 COLOR OR RACE

W.

5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

Widowed

6 DATE OF BIRTH

Feb 19th

(Month)

(Day)

1852 (Year)

7 AGE

79 yrs. 7 mos. 3 ds. or min.?

If LESS than 1 day hrs.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

Merchant

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country)

Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER

Hillary Hoskinson

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country)

Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Florence Veirs

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country)

Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Mary L. Hoskinson

(Address)

Poolesville, Md.

15 Filed

Sept 23rd 1931 E. W. White

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Sept 23, 1931

(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

Jan 1929 to Sept 23, 1931

that I last saw him alive on Sept 23, 1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 1 P. M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Chronic mitral

insufficiency &amp;

arteriosclerosis

(Duration) 5 yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory Secondary

acute myocarditis

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) E. W. White M. D.

Sept 23, 1931 (Address) Poolesville

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Poolesville Sept 25, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Hilton &amp; Hall Poolesville



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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Montgomery

Village or City Takoma Park (No. Washington Sanitarium St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_)

2 FULL NAME Mrs. Maude Jones

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 223

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Widowed

6 DATE OF BIRTH December 20, 1869  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 61 yrs. 8 mos. 25 ds. If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_ min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work At home  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Washington D.C.

10 NAME OF FATHER Henry Hobart Talmadge

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Springfield, Mass.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Elizabeth Peiss

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Washington D.C.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Hulda Gunther

(Address) Takoma Park, Md.

15 Filed Sept 16 1921 H. E. Rogers  
Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept. 15, 1921  
September (Month) 15 (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from September 15, 1921 to September 15, 1921

that I last saw her alive on September 15, 1921

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9:35 pm.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Cerebral  
Haemorrhage

(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

Arteriosclerosis

(Duration) 3 yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) W. W. Chambers M. D.

Sept 15, 1921 (Address) Takoma Park, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents) 5 mos & 15 hrs.

At place of death \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? Washington, D.C.

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Washington D.C. 9/18/21, 19

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

W. W. Chambers 1408 Chapin St., W.

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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City Agincourt (No

2FULL NAME

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3/SEX

4 COLOR OR RACE

5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

7 AGE

### BY OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work.

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or co

10 NAME OF  
FATHER

11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER  
(State or country)

12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER

13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER  
(State or country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant

(Address)

15

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## Registrar

# STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 211

St.:.....Ward) (If death occurred in  
a hospital or institu-  
tion, give its NAME in-  
stead of street and  
number.)

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from  
July - 1920 to Sept - 13, 1921

that I last saw him alive on Sept 13, 1921,  
and that death occurred on the date stated above, at H.P. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Chronic interstitial nephritis: 10 years' duration.

Contributor  
Secondary

(Signed) W. C. Miller M. D.  
Sept-11-1921 (Address) Gaithersburg, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death..... yrs..... mos..... ds. In the State..... yrs..... mos..... ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?.....

Former or usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

If more blanks are needed, address State Registrar, 16 W. Saratoga St., Baito., Requesting V. S. No. 1.

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

*Moulgouney*

Village or City

*Lakona Park* (No. *Wash Sau & Hospital*)Registration Dist. No. *223*

St. Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## 2 FULL NAME

*Unnamed child of D & Annie Melvin*

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

*Female*

4 COLOR OR RACE

*white*

5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

*Sept 19<sup>th</sup> 1931*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

yrs. mos. ds. or min.?

If LESS than 1 day 6 hrs.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

10 NAME OF FATHER

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or Country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address)

15 Filed

*Sept 20 1931* *H. E. Rogers*  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

*Sept. 19<sup>th</sup> 1931*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from *Sept. 19<sup>th</sup> 1931* to *Sept 19<sup>th</sup> 1931*, that I last saw him alive on *Sept 19<sup>th</sup> 1931*, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at *9:12 P. m.*

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

*Atelactasis**has not breathed well from birth*  
*6 hrs*

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed)

*L. Agatha E. Kress* M. D.  
*Sept 19 - 1931* (Address) *905 Carroll Ave*

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At place of death yrs. mos. ds.

In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

*Cedar Hill Cemt* *Sept 20 1931*

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

*W W Chambers* *Wash. D.C.*

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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

2 FULL NAME

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

4 COLOR OR RACE

5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

7 AGE

If LESS than  
1 day.....hrs.  
.....ds. or.....min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or  
particular kind of work(b) General nature of industry  
business, or establishment in  
which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

10 NAME OF  
FATHER

11 BIRTHPLACE

OF FATHER  
(State or country)12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER

13 BIRTHPLACE

OF MOTHER  
(State or Country)

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address)

15

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9 - 6 1923

Mrs. Platt

Registrar

10994

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 213

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in  
a hospital or institution,  
give its NAME in-  
stead of street and  
number.)

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

17

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from  
Sept. 6 1921 to Sept. 6 1921,  
that I last saw him alive on Sept. 6 1921,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 6 P. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Stillbirth - Miscarriage  
at 3 months

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed)

H. A. Lathrop M. D.  
Sept. 6 1921 (Address) Rockville, Md.\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from  
Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether  
Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Trans-  
ients or Recent Residents)At place  
of death yrs. mos. ds.In the  
State yrs. mos. ds.Where was disease contracted,  
if not at place of death?Former or  
usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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Health Association.)

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**Statement of Cause of Death.**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia, Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningis, peritoneum, etc., Carcinoma, Sarcoma, etc., of . . . . .* (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles (disease causing death), 29 ds.; Bronchopneumonia (secondary), 10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Droopy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Insanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Traemia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide.* The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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BUREAU V. S.

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Montgomery

10995

# STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 223

Village or City Takoma Park (No. Washington San + Hosp St. Ward     ) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Mrs. Alice Much

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX female 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) WIDOWED

6 DATE OF BIRTH February 10, 1867  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 64 yrs. 6 mos. 15 da. or min. If LESS than 1 day, hrs.     

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housewife  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) own home

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Missouri

10 NAME OF FATHER Charles Baker

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) New York

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Sarah Howard

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) New York

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Sanitarium Records

(Address) Takoma Park, Md.

15 Filed Sept 25 1931 H. E. Rogers Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH September 25, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from July 23, 1931, to Sept 25, 1931, that I last saw her alive on Sept 25, 1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 6:23 P. m. The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Carcinoma Left Pleural Cavity

(Duration) 5 yrs.      mos.      ds.  
Contributory Sclerosis Coronary Vessels  
Secondary

(Signed) Donald E. Van Hook M. D.  
Sept 25 1931 (Address) Wash San + Hosp

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 2 yrs. 2 mos. 2 ds. In the State 2 yrs. 2 mos. 2 ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? New Market, Va

Former or usual residence     

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Washington DC DATE OF BURIAL Sept 28, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER A. B. Reavis ADDRESS 824 7th St. N.W.



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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

*Montgomery*

10996

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. *2-11*Village or City *Clarksburg* (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME

*John Fletcher Mullinix*

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

*M.*

4 COLOR OR RACE

*W.*5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED, *Married*  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

*July 14, 1900*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

*31 yrs. 1 mos. 18 ds.*  
If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_ min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

*Farmer*

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country)*Maryland*

10 NAME OF FATHER

*James A. Mullinix*11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER  
(State or country)*Md.*

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

*Fanny Mullinix*13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER  
(State or Country)*Md.*

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

*Mrs John F. Mullinix*

(Address)

*R. D. Clarksburg Md*

15 Filed

*Sep 4 1921**Wm E. Loeber*  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

*Sept. 2, 1931*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I *personally* attended the deceased *from*  
*Sept. 2, 1931* to *Sept. 2, 1931*that I last saw him *alive* on *Sept. 2, 1931*and that death occurred on the date stated *above* at *2 p.m.*The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows: *suicide by**inhalation of carbon monoxide*  
*from exhaust of automobile.*

(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) *George M. Boyer* M. D.*Sept. 3, 1931* (Address) *Danvers Md.*

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. In the \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

*Howard Chapel Cemetery* *Sept. 5, 1931*20 UNDERTAKER *Howard Co., Md.*

ADDRESS

*Ray H. Barber* *Seatonville, Md.*

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10997

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Montgomery

Village or City

Rockville

Registration Dist. No.

213

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Anderson Neill

(a) Residence: No.

Charlotte N.C.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

male

4. COLOR OR RACE

Col.

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Married

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of

unknown

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

11

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than 1 day, hrs. or min.

45

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

Labor

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

N.C.

(State or country)

13. NAME

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

R. S. Mullis,  
Rockville Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Charlotte N.C.

Date

Sept 10, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Warner E. Pumpfroy,  
Rockville

20. FILED

9/8, 1931 Mrs. Pratt

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

9

(Month)

8

(Day)

1931

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY. That I attended deceased from

Dead when seen

19

I last saw him alive on , 19 ; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Fell from top of Court house  
3rd story, crushing chest & left  
arm. Left leg dislocated

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

None

Name of operation

None

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy? Yes

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? Accident Date of injury 9/8, 1931

Where did injury occur? Court House Rockville Md

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Crushed chest from fall

Nature of Injury

Crushed chest

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

C. E. Hawks

M. D.

(Address)

Rockville Md

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as “employee,” “worker,” “operative,” etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as “store,” “factory,” “mill,” etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term “laborer” when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word “mechanic,” but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

**Example I**

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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**Example II**

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN



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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10908

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County.

Village or City.

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

7 yrs. 2 mos.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs. mos.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

4. COLOR OR RACE

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

5e. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, end year)

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than 1 day, or min.

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

13. NAME

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

17. INFORMANT (Address)

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

19. UNDERTAKER (Address)

20. FILED

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

(Month)

(Day)

1931 (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY. That I attended deceased from

Sept. 1, 1931, to Sept. 18, 1931.

I last saw him alive on Sept. 17, 1931; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 5:05 A.M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? Date of Injury, 19

Where did injury occur? (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

M. D.

(Address)

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County MontgomeryVillage or City Pakoma Park (No. 46)Washington Sanitarium Sta.

Ward)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Mr. James Royal PalmerSTATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 223

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write this word) widowed

6 DATE OF BIRTH November 15, 1953  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 77 yrs. 9 mos. 12 ds. or min. If LESS than 1 day hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Retired  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Canada

10 NAME OF FATHER George Palmer

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Canada

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Tamara Cryder

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Canada

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Sanitarium Records(Address) Pakoma Park

15 Filed Sept 28 1931 H. E. Rogers Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept 27, 1931  
(Month) 27 (Day) 1931 (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from May 31, 1931 to Sept 27, 1931.

that I last saw him alive on Sept 27, 1931.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9:10 A. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Carcinoma of Stomach and Liver

(Duration) 2 yrs. 6 mos. ds.Contributory  
Secondary(Duration) 3 yrs. 3 mos. ds.

(Signed) W. G. Green M. D.  
Sept 27, 1931 (Address) Pakoma Park, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 3 yrs. 3 mos. 27 ds. In the State 3 yrs. 3 mos. 27 ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? home

Former or usual residence D.C.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Washington D.C. DATE OF BURIAL Sept 28, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER Martin W. Haysong ADDRESS 1300-h 14th NW Wash. D.C.

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1 PLACE OF DEATH		STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
County <u>Montgomery</u>		Registration Dist. No. <u>223</u>	
Village or City <u>Lakona Park</u> (No. <u>Washington Suburban</u> Ward)		(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)	
2 FULL NAME <u>Miss Edith Luiseberry</u>			
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS			
3 SEX <u>female</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>white</u>	5 SINGLE <u>Single</u> MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)	
6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>June 1, 1851</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)			
7 AGE <u>80 yrs. 2 mos. 6 ds.</u>		If LESS than 1 day.....hrs. or.....min.?	
8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work <u>No Occupation</u> (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)			
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) <u>Pennsylvania</u>			
PARENTS	10 NAME OF FATHER <u>William Luiseberry</u>		
	11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) <u>Kentucky</u>		
	12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Rebecca Patton</u>		
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) <u>Virginia</u>			
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE			
(Informant) <u>Marion Laurie</u>			
(Address) <u>Washington, D.C.</u>			
15 Filed <u>Sept 7, 1931</u> <u>H. E. Rogers</u> Registrar			
MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH			
16 DATE OF DEATH <u>September 7, 1931</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)			
17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from <u>January 23, 1921</u> to <u>September 7, 1931</u> , that I last saw <u>her</u> alive on <u>Sept 7, 1931</u> , and that death occurred on the date stated above, at <u>4 P.</u> m. The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows:			
<u>Arterio-Sclerosis</u>			
(Duration) <u> yrs. mos. ds.</u>			
Contributory <u>Cerebral Thrombosis</u>			
(Duration) <u> yrs. mos. ds.</u>			
(Signed) <u>D. H. Hines</u> M. D. <u>Sept 7, 1931</u> (Address) <u>Lakona Park D.C.</u>			
*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.			
18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)			
At place of death <u>7 mos. 29 ds.</u>		In the State <u> yrs. mos. ds.</u>	
Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? <u>Washington D.C.</u>			
Former or usual residence <u>Washington D.C.</u>			
19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <u>Wash. D.C.</u>		DATE OF BURIAL <u>Sept 10, 1931</u>	
20 UNDERTAKER <u>Martin W. Hysong</u>		ADDRESS <u>1307 N. H St. N.W.</u>	
If more blanks are needed, address State Registrar, 16 W. Saratoga St., Balto., Requesting V. S. No. 1.			



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## PLACE OF DEATH

County Montgomery

10911

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 217Village or City Ulny - Md (No. Monty. Co. Gen. Hosp.)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME George F. Reber Jr.

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH Nov. 14, 1892  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 38 yrs. 9 mos. 28 ds. If LESS than 1 day.....hrs. or.....min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work carpenter  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Md

10 NAME OF FATHER Geo F Reber Sr.

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Pc

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Rebeka Dowden

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Md.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Edna Reber  
(Address) Washington Grove

15 Filed Sept 26 1931 C Bamsley  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept 12, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Aug 25 1931 to Sept 12, 1931, that I last saw him alive on Sept 12, 1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 6:40 A m. The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Typhoid Fever  
(Duration) ..... yrs. .... mos. 20 ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Signed) F. J. Broschart M. D.  
Sept 12 1931 (Address) Washington Md

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death ..... yrs. .... mos. .... ds. In the State ..... yrs. .... mos. .... ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? Washington Grove Md

Former or usual residence u

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Neabsville Md. DATE OF BURIAL Sept 14, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER J. C. Gaetner ADDRESS Gaithersburg

for issued

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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Montgomery

10912

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 223Village or City Takoma Park113 Chestnut St. Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)2 FULL NAME Myrtle Lewton Rothrock

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) married6 DATE OF BIRTH February 6 1904  
(Month) (Day) (Year)7 AGE 27 yrs. 7 mos. 28 ds. or min. 2  
If LESS than 1 day.....hrs.8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Teacher  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Lancaster Pa.10 NAME OF FATHER Fredrick L Lewton11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Ohio12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Emilie Hempel13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Pa.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Fredrick L. Lewton(Address) 113 Chestnut Ave Takoma Park15 Filed Sept 4 1931 W. C. Rogers  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept 7 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Aug. 31 1931 to Sept. 4 1931, that I last saw him alive on Sept 4 1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 12:10 a.m.

THE CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

- (1) Mitral stenosis
- (2) Rheumatic endocarditis

Contributory Secondary Pulmonary edema  
(Duration) 10 yrs. — mos. — ds.(Signed) Lynwood Berger M. D.  
Sept 7 1931 (Address) 410 Cedar Street

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death.....yrs.....mos.....ds. In the State.....yrs.....mos.....ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence.....

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Washington Sept. 4 1931

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

W. C. Tabler 928 - M St NW

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WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK--THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Montgomery

Village or City

Cherry Chase Md.

2 FULL NAME

Oliver E. Stafford

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 214

Ward)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

M.

4 COLOR OR RACE

W

5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH

July

16

1869

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

7 AGE

62 yrs.

2 mos.

7 ds.

If LESS than

1 day

hrs.

or min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

Druggist

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Preston, Md.

10 NAME OF FATHER

Andrew Stafford

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Delaware

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Anna Green

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or Country)

Md.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Oliver E. Stafford

(Address)

9502 Jones Mill Rd. Cherry Chase Md.

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Dwight C. Perry

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Sept. 23, 1931

(Month) (Day) (Year)

17

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

July 1, 1931, to Sept 23, 1931.

that I last saw him alive on Sept 23, 1931.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9 P. M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Carcinoma of Prostate

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) M. D.

Sept 24, 1931 (Address) 4815-14th Ave

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Forest Glen, Md. Sept 25, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

W.W. Chambers Co. Wash., D.C.

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1 PLACE OF DEATH			10914		STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH	
County <u>Montgomery</u>			(131)		Registration Dist. No. <u>218</u>	
Village or City <u>Mar Raytonsville</u>			St. _____		Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)	
2 FULL NAME <u>John M Sullivan</u>						
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS						
3 SEX <u>Male</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) <u>Married</u>				
6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>Sept 4, 1856</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)						
7 AGE <u>75 yrs. 0 mos. 13 ds.</u> or min.? If LESS than 1 day ____ hrs.						
8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work <u>None</u> (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) _____						
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) <u>Virginia</u>						
10 NAME OF FATHER <u>Elijah Sullivan</u>						
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) <u>Va</u>						
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Unknown</u>						
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) <u>Unknown</u>						
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) <u>Mr S P Prindle</u> (Address) <u>Derwood</u>						
15 Filed <u>Sept 18 1921</u> <u>V T T Dyson</u> Registrar						
MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH						
16 DATE OF DEATH <u>Sept 17, 1921</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)						
17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from <u>Mar 10, 1921</u> to <u>Sept 17, 1921</u> , that I last saw him alive on <u>Sept 16, 1921</u> , and that death occurred on the date stated above, at <u>1 A</u> m. The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows: <u>Chronic Subacute Degenerative &amp; Myo-Cardiac Insufficiency</u> (Duration) <u>2</u> yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.						
Contributory Secondary (Duration) ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.						
(Signed) <u>V T T Dyson</u> M. D. <u>Sept 18, 1921</u> (Address) <u>Raytonsville</u> *State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.						
18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents) At place of death ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds. In the State ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.						
Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? _____ Former or usual residence _____						
19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <u>Brallsville Cemetery</u>					DATE OF BURIAL <u>Sept 19, 1921</u>	
20 UNDERTAKER <u>Roy W Barber</u>					ADDRESS <u>Raytonsville</u>	

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Montgomery

Village or City Faithsburg Md.

2 FULL NAME George Thompson

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX male 4 COLOR OR RACE col. 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED married  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Don't know

7 AGE abt. 80 yrs. mos. ds. or min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Retired Clerk  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Frank. D.C.

10 NAME OF FATHER Don't know

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) " "

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER " "

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) " "

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Alex. Green

(Address) Faithsburg

15 Filed Oct. 2 1931

Registrar

10915 STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 218

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept 30, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Sept 10, 1931 to Sept 10, 1931.

that I last saw him alive on Sept 10, 1931.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 8:00 P.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Acute cardiac dilatation

Contributory Chronic cardiac renal disease  
Secondary

(Signed) J. J. Branstetter M. D.  
10-1-31 1931 (Address) Faithsburg Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Rockville

DATE OF BURIAL Oct 2, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER W. E. Humphrey

ADDRESS Rockville Md.



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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Montgomery

Village or City Bethesda No. \_\_\_\_\_

2 FULL NAME Flourance A. Todd

# STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 212

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX M 4 COLOR OR RACE W 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) wid

6 DATE OF BIRTH Jan 30, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 71 yrs. 7 mos. 8 ds. or min.?  
[If LESS than 1 day, hrs.]

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work at home  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Md

10 NAME OF FATHER James S. Floyd

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER 1 - Chance

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Mrs P. P. Day

(Address) Bethesda

15 Filed Sept 7 1931 E. W. White  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept 7, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Sept 6, 1931, to Sept 7, 1931, that I last saw him alive on Sept 6, 1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 6 A m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

chronic mitral insufficiency

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) Unknown yrs. mos. ds.  
acute myocarditis  
(Duration) yrs. mos. ds. 3

(Signed) E. W. White M. D.  
Sept 7 1931 (Address) Bethesda

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At place of death, yrs. mos. ds. In the State, yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Bethesda Md DATE OF BURIAL Sept 9, 1931  
Western cemetery

20 UNDERTAKER Wallace Cook ADDRESS Baltimore

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County MontgomeryVillage or City Martinsburg (No. \_\_\_\_\_)2 FULL NAME Josephine TwymanSTATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 212

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX F 4 COLOR OR RACE C 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Single  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Unknown 1881  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE About 50 yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.?  
If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Paid Cook  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Md

10 NAME OF FATHER George Twyman

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Brews Chaney

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) John Twyman(Address) Bucklesbury Rd

15 Filed Sept 8 1931 EW White  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept 7, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from No physician in attendance, 1931, that I last saw him alive on attendance, 1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 1 A m.

THE CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Carcinoma of breast(Duration) 2 yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) EW White M. D.1931 (Address) Poolsville

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Sugarland Sept 9 1931

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

Henry Davis Poolsville

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Montgomery

Village or City Takoma Park (No. 131)

2 FULL NAME Mary Harden Weekesser

10918 STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 223

St. Curral Ave Ward extended (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED married  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH August 14, 1867  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 64 yrs. 1 mos. 4 ds. If LESS than 1 day hrs. or min.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Domestic  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER Henry Keller

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Adeline Keller

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Minnie Reinke

(Address) 4904 Reisterstown Rd

15 Filed Sept 18 1931 H. E. Rogers Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept 18, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Sept 12 1931 to Sept 18, 1931.

that I last saw him alive on Sept 16, 1931.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 10:50 a. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Chronic nephritis

Indefinite (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) A. J. Little M. D.

Sept 18 1931 (Address) 6911 S. H. W. Wood Ave

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Woodlawn Sept 21, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Chenoweth Son 3615 Chesnut

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10919

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

No.

Registration Dist. No.

St.

Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

(Usual place of abode)

Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

4. COLOR OR RACE

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Female

White

Widowed

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

Dr. Nathan S. White

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Dec 16 - 1860

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than  
1 day, hrs.  
or min.

81

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OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

Housewife

9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

Home

10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Rockville  
Maryland

FATHER

13. NAME

William Veiss Boice

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Montgomery  
Maryland

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Mary Veiss

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Rockville  
Maryland17. INFORMANT  
(Address)Miss Brown Beale  
August - Va.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

Beallsville Md. Sept 22, 1931

19. UNDERTAKER  
(Address)Om. Reuben Humphrey  
Colonial Funeral Home - Rockville Md.

20. FILED

Sept 22, 1931

Mrs. H. T. Rice -

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Sept

(Month)

20

(Day)

1931

(Year)

22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from

4/1/31, 1931, to Sept 8, 1931

I last saw him alive on 9/8/31; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 5:30 p.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:

Chronic Myocarditis

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Chronic Hypertension

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred IN INDUSTRY, IN HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

O. E. Hawke  
Rockville Md.

M. D.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Montgomery

10920  
STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 223

Village or City Takoma Park (No. Wash San Hosp. St.      Ward     ) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Ayers (Mr) Wilbur

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH Dec 12, 1921  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 18 yrs. 9 mos. 1 ds. or      min. If LESS than 1 day. hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Carpenter  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Shiloh N.J.

10 NAME OF FATHER Ruben Ayers

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Shiloh N.J.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Irene Hunch

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Kan

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Sanitarium Records

(Address) Takoma Park Md.

15 Filed Sept 14 1921 H. Rogers Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH 9/13/1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 9/10 1931 to 9/13 1931, that I last saw him alive on 9/13 1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 4:15 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Anterior Polymyositis

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration)      yrs.      mos.      ds.  
Bub. Paralysis?  
(Signed) Edward Smors M. D.  
9/13 1931 (Address) Wash San Hosp. Takoma Park, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death      yrs. 3 mos. 3 ds. In the State      yrs.      mos. 7 ds.

Where was disease contracted if not at place of death? Hosp

Former or usual residence Bridgeton, N.J.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Bridgeton, New Jersey DATE OF BURIAL Sept 15, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER H. B. Nevins ADDRESS 324 N. J. Ave



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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Wt.

Village or City Litton Spring (No. 82-2)

2 FULL NAME Carl E Wilson

# STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 214

St. 8700 Green St. Ward 1 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX M. 4 COLOR OR RACE W. 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Married  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Feb. 14, 1871  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 60 yrs. 7 mos. 11 ds. or 1 day 1 hrs. 1 min.?  
If LESS than

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Retired  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Missouri

10 NAME OF FATHER Jacob E Wilson

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Va.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Margaret Clarke

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Missouri

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Lillian Hawland

(Address) Litton Spring, Md.

15 Filed Sept. 26, 1931 J. E. Dooling Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Sept. 25, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Sept. 20, 1931 to Sept. 25, 1931

that I last saw him alive on Sept. 24, 1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 6 A. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Ruptured cerebral vessel

Contributory Secondary Arteriosclerosis  
(Duration) 5 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.

(Signed) Wm. B. H. H. M. D.

Sept. 25, 1931 (Address) 8512 Geo. Ave. Litton Spring, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death 5 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds. In the State 5 yrs. 0 mos. 0 ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence DC.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Ft. Lincoln Cemetery, Md. DATE OF BURIAL Sept. 26, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER W. W. Chambers ADDRESS Wash., D.C.

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(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
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